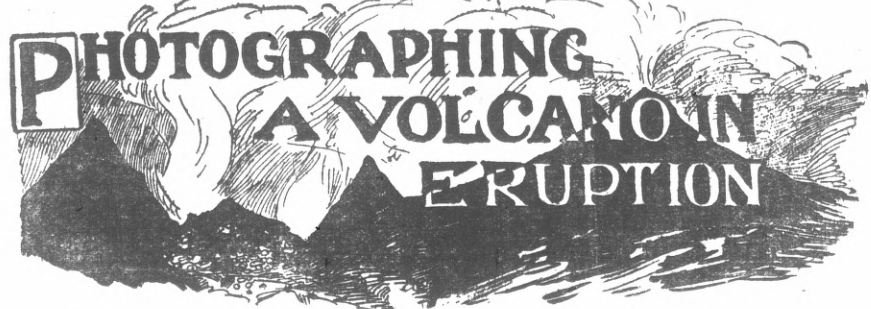


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PHOTOGRAPHING A VOLCANO IN ERUPTION

TUESDAY, July 1, 1899, reports reached Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, that the volcano of Mauna Loa, 13,675 feet high, on the island of Hawaii had burst forth with all the fury of years gone by. I left with the intention of reaching the scene of action, writes Frank Davey, by the most difficult route of all—right over the great mountain from the Kona side. The obstacles to be overcome may perhaps be imagined when I state that Mauna Loa is a volcanic mountain, nearly 14,000 feet high.

It was with great difficulty that I managed to get horses and mules from the natives, who knew the country, for the animals inevitably get badly knocked about, their legs being terribly cut by the lava. A number of gentlemen arrived and expressed their desire to join me in the expedition. The first part of the journey was one of the most delightful rides I ever had. We rode for hours through magnificent tropical growths. There were giant ferns, some of which must have been thirty or forty feet high and three feet in diameter, groves of guavas, coconuts and other fruits, miles of wild plum and bright colored flowers, and orchids of most delicate shapes. At dusk we reached the edge of the timber line, in a dreary rain.

We continued our journey at daylight, over the most terrible country that can be imagined. We reached the summit just as it was getting dark. Near the center of the mountain top an area of about four square miles sinks to a depth of 1,500 feet. This is the great crater of Mauna Loa.

We found that the worst outbreak was about 5,000 feet further down the mountain side. Walking across the congealed masses of lava, one began to think that at any moment one was liable to drop through to the molten lava below. Underneath one was a bottomless sea of mud, sulphur and rock, and to contemplate being cast into that fearful-looking lake of fire and brimstone was not at all comforting. Presently we reached a cone where the lava had piled up to the height of about 100 feet, then, bursting out at the side, disappeared into the ground, to reappear about a quarter of a mile farther down and repeat its action. These cones averaged 200 feet in height, and we passed five "dead" ones. A sixth was still smoking, but was not active. No. 7 was belching forth huge volumes of steam and sulphur. Another, that must have weighed a ton, was being hurled high into the air as if shot from a cannon. Others followed to meet these coming down, and as they met they burst like explosive shells, scattering molten matter on all sides. This flowed down the incline in cascades like water, showing red, yellow, blue and all the colors of the rainbow.

It is impossible to describe the grandeur of the effect, and a knowledge of the force that was causing the display alone could not very small indeed. Some of the great things seen as large as a house, and when they

were heaved forth were at a white heat. They went so high that they had time to cool and return to the vortex black.

The wind changed, and to our consternation we saw a cloud of sulphur blowing right across our path. These masses of vapor are so impregnated with sulphur and poisonous gases that it is impossible for any living thing to exist among them, and to get caught in their midst means death. Alarmed, we started to go around on the other side, but found the lava was too hot. We kept on until the lava began to move under our feet, and then made a number of attempts to pass that deadly barrier of vapor, but were forced to return each time, nearly suffocated. Just at this critical moment I happened to turn round and saw an arch, as it were, in the sulphur smoke, where the wind was blowing it up from the ground. We had scarcely got through that arch of clear air when down came the cloud again.

Once past the danger point, we crawled along at our best pace. It was now night, and the only light we had was the lurid glare from the volcano. If it had not been for this we should undoubtedly have perished of cold and thirst, as we should have been compelled to stop walking. As it was, we dared not halt for any length of time, or we should not have had warmth enough to keep the blood circulating. All that night we crawled over the terrible lava. We fell down at intervals of about twenty feet, often breaking through the black crust, sometimes up to our waists, cutting ourselves on the sharp projection until our hands and legs were woefully lacerated. Almost as soon as we fell we dropped asleep, then, as we got colder, we would wake up and force ourselves on again for a few dozen yards or so, only to fall asleep, wake and struggle up once more.

At last it began to get light, but still we had come across no water, and that in our condition had long since been exhausted. We hunted the depths and crevices of the lava, sometimes going down ten or fifteen feet, looking for water, only to be disappointed again and again.

Suddenly I saw a break in the lava nearly full of beautiful water. I leaped over the side, holding the canteen for a companion to fill. He went down a few feet, and then stopped. I motioned to him to fill the bottle, croaking, "Water." He did not look around, but mumbled, "I see no water," as if in a dream. Picking up a piece of lava I tossed it down and cried hoarsely, "There is the water!" But to my astonishment the bubble went down, down, out of sight, with no sound of a splash, into a bottomless abyss. The crevice was so deep that we could not see the bottom, and the shock of the discovery made me faint.

After a time we crawled on again until we came upon a guide sitting upon the edge of a high crack, eating frozen snow, and tearing it with his teeth. We followed his example, not without pain, but the snow tasted good. The morning home was comparatively speaking, easy. The memory of that night amidst the lava will be new to my dying day.

CLOTHES A BUSINESS ASSET.

Self-Supporting Woman Who Would Succeed Should Be Well Dressed.
Any woman who has her way to make in the world, whether in social or business circles, must recognize that dress is one of her chief assets, a writer in the delineator says. The efficiency of a saleswoman, a stenographer, a teacher—in fact, of any woman who works—is judged by her dress. Shabbiness is almost always taken as a sign of ill-success and it is a popular if somewhat fallacious theory that real merit and ability always succeed.

Carelessness is quite as blighting to one's progress as shabbiness. It may not be altogether just or fair, but it is true that wherever you go your social position, your income, success or failure, your ability and character are appraised by the clothes you wear. If I were starting in business I don't care in what capacity—and had only a very little money to invest, I would put it into clothes—clothes that were suitable, attractive and well made. It is what financiers call a "good risk"—an investment that is almost certain to turn out well.

I don't for a moment advocate extravagance in dress except for women of large means. With them extravagance is more than excusable—it is justifiable. It keeps money in circulation that would otherwise be idle. It gives legitimate employment, which is the wisest and most beneficent form of charity, to women who need work.

But for women in moderate circumstances a parsimonious attitude toward dress is a false and often fatal economy. If you want to succeed in anything, look successful, able, competent. Otherwise you can never inspire confidence in others, and to look successful, prosperous, assured, you must be well dressed.



In searching about for the causes of various diseases, modern men of science have found that not a few ailments arise from poisons made by ourselves, or at least made within our own bodies. This process is appropriately called auto-intoxication, or self-poisoning. In other diseases, agents, there is no manufacture of poison, but there is a maladjustment of parts, or more or less deformity, the effects of which the system endeavors to correct, with the result of a strain to the nervous system that oftentimes spells ruin to health or even to reason.

Intestinal auto-intoxication is one of the greatest producers of morbid symptoms or actual diseases, running from headache, dizziness and indigestion to various mental disturbances, nervous breakdown or even actual insanity.

Self-poisoning from the waste products that ought to be eliminated through the kidneys is also very common, although in this case the kidneys being actually diseased, the headache, blindness, convulsions, coma and other symptoms are regarded as symptoms of the kidney disease. Nevertheless, they are in reality due to auto-intoxication.

The diseases due to defective elimination through the skin are not so definite or so easily recognized. The function of the perspiration is probably more to cool than to eliminate, although some waste is doubtless cast off through the skin. There is a tradition concerning a boy taking part in some celebration whose entire body was glazed and who speedily died from the effects of closing all the pores of the skin. The story is probably made up, but the lesson it teaches of the need of free elimination through the skin is valuable, and ought to be heeded.

Another source of poisoning or of reflex nervous disturbance is the teeth. Decayed teeth, especially decayed roots, have occasionally caused deafness or blindness, and the reflex irritation from teeth set too close together or growing in abnormal directions has been known to produce serious mental disturbance.

The chief lesson of the discovery of auto-intoxication as a factor in the causation of disease is that one should be examined regularly, once a year at least by a good physician, and every six months by a competent dentist. Thus it is possible to detect the first signs of defective elimination or poison production before any great damage is done.

Two and Two Not Always Four.
Teacher: Now, boys, here's a little example in mental arithmetic. How old would a person be who was born in 1875?

Pupil: Please, teacher, was it a man or a woman? Red Hen.

A Masculine Mystery.
One thing a woman can't understand is why a man won't wait for a bargain sale when he wants anything—Chicago News.

Definition Up to Date.
Pat—Ah! what the devil is a chaffin' dish?
Mike—What? It's a tryin' pan that's got into society.—Exchange.

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It is Harriman who is one of the greatest railroad reconstructionists this country has known. When he took over the Union Central and Southern Pacific he foresaw that the entire lines would have to be rebuilt. He put his whole energy into the task of expending more millions of dollars for that purpose, some say \$2,000,000. He straightened out crooked and jagged, tangled mountains at their bases, where the roads formerly were even, then, put steel viaducts and bridges across ravines and streams.



E. H. HARRIMAN

reduced grades, built excellent roadbeds and placed on them the heaviest steel rails.

Starting at the east end of the system, the new double structural steel bridge across the Missouri river between Council Bluffs and Omaha is considered one of the finest railway structures of its kind extant.

Greatest, perhaps of all the achievements to which Mr. Harriman devoted his personal attention and effort is the Lucin cut-off, crossing Great Salt Lake. This structure crosses the inland sea, with an average depth of thirty feet, cutting out forty-four miles of the former line around the lake and 1,515 feet of elevation, or grade. There were 3,000 men engaged day and night in building it. It required 38,266 trees, from 100 to 200 feet high, to create the piling of the trestlework, twenty-three miles long. Eleven miles of this trestle were filled in with several big hills.

CROWN PRINCE OF ITALY.

Four miles of solid earth had come into the approach to the west end of the trestle. The top of the cut-off is sixteen feet wide. The floor of the trestle makes it possible for the trains. It is a cover of solid asphalt, overlaid with granite resting on heavy beams. The structure is gradeless and cost \$1,500,000.

Mr. Harriman was also engaged in many other tasks during the three years he was building the cut-off. He straightened the Central Pacific Railroad by cutting out 360 miles of curves, knocked out 3,100 feet of altitudes, or grades, constructed thirty-six steel bridges across ravines, canyons and streams, and dug four tunnels two miles long, reducing the time seven hours on that line.

When Los Angeles needed a port on the Pacific, where steamships could connect with his trains, Mr. Harriman built a great rock wharf, curving far out into the ocean, to battle successfully with gigantic waves and afford a harbor of refuge. He also constructed a similar and even greater rock wharf at San Pedro, Cal.

A "Sort of Cousin."

The lawyer eyed the woman in the witness-box in patient despair. Then, on the authority of a writer in the Detroit News, he rallied valiantly.

"You say, madam," he began, "that the defendant is a sort of relation of yours. Will you please explain what you mean by that just how you are related to the defendant?"

"Well, it's like this," replied the witness, beaming upon the court. "His first wife's cousin and my second cousin's first wife's aunt married brothers named Jones, and they were cousins to my mother's aunt. Then again, his grandfather on his mother's side and my grandfather on my mother's side were second cousins, and his step-mother married my husband's step-father after his father and my mother died, and his brother Joe and my husband's brother Harry married twin sisters. I ain't ever figured out just how close related we are, but I've always looked on him as a sort of cousin."

"Quite right," assented the lawyer, feebly.

A new popular wedding song is entitled "If I But Knew." Heavens! that is why the ceremony goes on; because neither one knows.

A Question.

"Are the colors fast in that new tint suit I bought, Jane?"

"That depends on how you look at it, ma'am."

"What do you mean, Jane?"

"Well, when I went to wash it I'd call 'em fast, the way them colors ran." Baltimore American



Suspicious.

Your mother wired me this morning that she couldn't come for two weeks. She's been unavoidably delayed."

"Well, you needn't chuckle over it," snapped his wife, who was unreasonably suspicious. "Detroit Free Press."

Revealed.

"It seems to me that I have seen you before."

"You have, my lord. I used to give your daughter singing lessons."

"Twenty Years"—Casella's Saturday Journal

The "greater than Washington" statesman is admirably discovered almost as frequently as the "greater than Shakespeare" playwright.

When a woman reaches the church door, in forgetfulness of the gum in her mouth, is it proper for her to spit it out, or swallow it?

Population, 8,000

RAILROAD DIRECTORY.

—City of Richmond—

Notice: THE TERMINAL challenges any place in the world to show as great railroad development in nine years.

TRAINS LEAVE RICHMOND FROM THE MACDONALD AVENUE DEPOTS AS FOLLOWS:

Southern Pacific

The subway, at the main Richmond depot on Macdonald avenue, at a cost of \$55,000, a permanent mechanism, built in 1909, fixes for all time the central commercial traffic way.

The next improvement will be a modern, enlarged mission style depot for the AVENUE and a local electrified road, an extension north from Berkeley to the depot, looping the loop via West Berkeley to San Francisco, with a 20-cent fare.

Toward San Francisco:

No. 23 Tompkins Express	7:54 a.m.
No. 41 Santa Rosa, Calistoga, Livermore	8:00 a.m.
No. 12 Sacramento and Oroville	8:00 a.m.
No. 49 Fresno and Sacramento	8:00 a.m.
No. 8 Bakersfield	8:00 a.m.
No. 41 Bay Point	8:00 a.m.
No. 10 Sacramento	8:00 a.m.
No. 7 Los Angeles Express	8:00 a.m.
No. 100 Sacramento	8:00 a.m.
No. 52 Fresno, Newman, Stockton	8:00 a.m.
No. 147 Bay Point Local Sunday nights	8:00 p.m.
No. 7 stops to let off passengers for Los Angeles	No. 100
No. 15 due at 8:42 a.m. and No. 14 about 11:30 a.m. will stop to let off passengers from north of Oakland, Oregon, and the north of the bay.	
No. 15 due at 7 p.m. will stop to let off passengers from east of Oakland, Nevada, and the bay.	
No. 15 will stop to let off passengers from east of Sparks or north of Oakland.	

From San Francisco:

No. 12 Davis, Willows, Portland, Flag	12:28 p.m.
No. 49 Sacramento and Oroville	12:30 a.m.
No. 8 Bakersfield	12:30 a.m.
No. 41 Bay Point	12:30 a.m.
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For rates and tickets call at the S. P. office at Richmond, where all rates and tickets are on file. Tickets to all points of the United States, Canada, Mexico, and all foreign ports, are on file. Tickets to all points north of Oakland, through the bay, are on file. Tickets to all points south of Oakland, through the bay, are on file. Tickets to all points south of Oakland, through the bay, are on file.

Southern Pacific is building track for electric service to Macdonald Avenue depot.

Santa Fe Route

This road came to Richmond in 1900, before the Standard Oil refinery, expanding for wharves at Ferry Point, tunnel, viaducts, depots, round houses, shops, library, warehouses and Terminal tracks about \$1,700,000. Like the Southern Pacific, the Santa Fe's main depot is on Macdonald avenue and it, will be of the mission style when moved near First Street, and enlarged.

The Oakland & East Side Railway, the northern terminus of the coast division, is here and will use existing tracks, connecting for San Francisco through the Key Route.

Toward San Francisco:

No. 3 California Limited	7:14 a.m.
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The Santa Fe has in contemplation a few changes on the main line and ferry service.

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This line connects with Key Route.

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All trains of the O. & E. S. Ry. stop at Sixth and Ohio for freight to Oakland, and a number of local trains to Macdonald Avenue, and for freight from Oakland and Oakland stop on flag.

At each station, starting at 10 a.m. and from Richmond and Oakland stop on flag.

W. B. DILL, Agent.

Rumor is current that the Santa Fe will establish motor car service to San Francisco and a terminal station at Ohio Avenue and Sixth st. will be erected and the report has not been denied. A station will be also erected at Wall Street.

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TOWN TALK

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The east side is growing and business locations on Macdonald are being sought by eager investors.

Th. mas Moore has arrived from the "Show Me" State and is buying up property on and near Macdonald avenue.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Baptists have excellent services morning and evening, tomorrow, Rev. W. M. Riddle, Pastor. The program for tomorrow is full of interest. Miss Ella M. LaSalle, who has a charming voice, is programmed to sing a solo tomorrow evening.

AT WESLEY CHAPEL.

The Rev. Dr. Caffee and the choir of the Wesley Church are preparing to celebrate the birth of Martin Luther the second, Sunday in November at Bank hall. Luther's hymns will be sung and the Pastor will deliver an address on Luther.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO THE CATHOLICS OF RICHMOND.

On next Sunday, October 3, and on every Sunday thereafter, until further notice, there will be Mass at A. O. U. W. hall at the corner of Macdonald avenue and Sixth, for the grown up people and children at Richmond, beginning at 10:30 a. m. Mass by Rev. Father P. M. Griffin. All are invited to attend.

AMUSEMENTS.

Foresters Nov. 20.

Richmond is a show and an amusement city.

Hop with the birds on the floor of Maple hall, November 6—Eagles.

The Portuguese Society give a dance at San Pablo Maple hall on Thanksgiving eve.

RICHMOND OPERA HOUSE.

The big shows at the Point Richmond Opera House will be continued after Portola Festival.

THE GRAND THEATRE.

The Grand Theatre has changed management Mr. Martin taking the interest once held by Mr. Williams, the new firm being styled Rose & Martin who are continuing business at the old stand.

CARNIVAL

STREET OPENING

A GALA NIGHT

Macdonald Avenue

Another celebration is now on for our beautiful City of Richmond. It is all one city, and all feel so.

Fire Company No. 2 is making arrangements for the street carnival and great progress was made. The merchants have put their vim into the celebration of the completion of one of the best business avenues in California and lodges are coming to the front. About \$150 are subscribed with the west side merchants making good promises. One of the features will be an automobile parade. The parade will be headed by the city council followed by heads of departments; school children each carrying a flag; the Boys' Brigade and Bugle Corps; Richmond Lodges in regalia; Red Men of Contra Costa County bear-silk flag; all the county officials; a half score of bands and the drum corps; all the Fire Companies; citizens; Sons of Daniel Boone and Young Blount in cart drawn by the Big Billy Goat bringing up the rear. All visitors will occupy positions of honor. If not moved the entire outfit of Clark & Henry Construction Company will follow the city council and Women's clubs in automobiles in parade with their entire outfit. Places of reception will be ready; Mayor Mott will talk and will tell Richmond people how to secure appropriations to construct a channel from San Pablo Bay through our city and will tell of the great possibilities to be derived from the proposed opening of a North-west ferry route from Oakland, Berkeley and Richmond across San Pablo Bay to Point San Pedro opening the north-west trade.

The date of Macdonald Avenue Carnival will soon be known as the street will soon be completed.

Watch for announcements.

Richmond Volunteer Fire Company No. 2 have taken the initiative for a grand celebration of the completion of the street work on Macdonald avenue now nearing the point of completion at a cost to the property holders of \$150,000. The date has not been set, but the affair will come through about the close of November or the first week of December, as "December," in California, "is as pleasant as May."

The Red Men, the Eagles and Fire Companies are all to the front working valiantly in the movement for the gala night with all its splendor; all the lodges and fraternities of Richmond, and all of Contra Costa County are cordially invited to be present. Prominent speakers will attend the street carnival, and every organization is boosting now the opening of Richmond's beautiful street in the rapidly growing busy center and Macdonald avenue sets the pace, and there will be others.

Richmond Light & Power Co. will arrange the lights on the avenue.

RICHMOND OPERA HOUSE

Another Show Coming

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J. Fink; S. Detlow; W. Busse; S. Berndt and K. J. Floyd, who is Assistant Chief of all the fire rushes and also at other times.

LOOK OUT FOR INDIANS!

Onetha Tribe of Red Men, Imp., have entered for a competitive contest with the Shenandoahs of the Pinole Reservation for the handsome silk U. S. flag for the best team, and the first contest will be held on Richmond Reservation in the wigwam of the Onethas, Macdonald Trail on the second sleep in November.

The Redskins are greatly elated over the receipt of the prize trophy, a handsome silk American flag received from the Pale Faces in exchange for wampum. It is amusing to see the hunters, warriors and chiefs of Richmond Reservation so well pleased with their trophy that they value as much as a Pinto Indian pony. Prize contests are coming at the various sleeps.

The Onethas are to give a grand Pow Wow at the Happy Hunting Grounds, East Shore Park on next

games. There will be served a moonlight barbecue.

A good time is assured to all.

FLY WITH THE BIRDS.

The Eagles give a grand ball at Maple hall, Saturday evening, November 6. Some of the older birds are preparing to fly hence. The pin feathers of the eaglets are developing into gay plumes and the older birds will teach them the arts of flight by that time. Go and hop with the birdies on the maple floor.

FIREMEN'S BALL.

The dance given by the Volunteer Fire Company of Winchaven was largely and widely attended by lovers of the Terpsichorean art. The affair of course was extensive, advertised in the Terminal and of course the society folk took their cue.

There were many new features. The reception committee introduced the refreshment committee introduced new beverages, non-alcoholic in the Minscatel and Zinfandel juice of the grape, manufactured by the California Wine Association. The juice was filtered and pasteurized and was a thoroughly refreshing soft drink. From grape juice was made lemonade, orangeade, bananaade, pine-appleade and other kinds of fruitade. The young people enjoyed these and other dances they adopted these refreshment dainties.

Chief C. S. Manke was busy at the door; F. B. Loop was kept in the limelight with the others on reception; and E. J. Herd on refreshments; while K. J. Floyd, assistant chief made the program very interesting; Sam Slavich, champion bag puncher performed some rare feats. Two prizes for best waiters were awarded Jack McLean and his lady partner won first prize and all the winners were rewarded with the choicest products of the California Wine Association. Everything was very orderly and harmonious under the beautiful decorations and gaiety of the young folk continued till one a. m. Judge Perrin and Judge Loop enjoyed the recreation from the bench. The young people want another Winchaven ball.

The Logan-Schwartz orchestra is in the lead on music and these were the committees: Floor Manager, K. J. Floyd; assistants: J. Frye and E. J. Herd; Reception: Fire Commissioners: S. Berndt, F. B. Loop, F. K. Barber and C. S. Manke, the Chief; Refreshment: W. Adams, Captain; R. Wildenradt, Lieutenant; F. J. Herd, Hook and Ladder; F. B. Loop, L. Busse; G. Hawk;

Thanksgiving eve, on Wednesday. All the braves and squaws of the forest would like to meet the white squaws and white bucks on this occasion and smoke with them the pipe of peace at their grand fandango after the hunt. Ugh! Ugh! Ugh!

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed bids or proposals for the construction of a reinforced concrete culvert across San Pablo Avenue across Cerrito Creek at the County Line, will be received at the office of the Clerk of this Board at the Court House in the town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, up to

Monday, November 8th, 1909.

at 10 o'clock A. M.

All bids or proposals must be accompanied by a cash deposit or certified check in a sum not less than ten per cent of the amount bid. Said deposit or check to be forfeited to the County of Contra Costa if the successful bidder does not, within five days after receiving notice that the contract has been awarded to him, enter into a contract with the County of Contra Costa, and give a bond and sufficient bond in such sum as the Board of Supervisors may deem adequate, conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract. Said contract and bond to be executed to the satisfaction of and subject to the acceptance by the Board of Supervisors of said County of Contra Costa.

Said culvert to be completed within thirty days of the date of the award of contract and be paid for by warrant to be drawn on the Treasurer of the County of Contra Costa, payable out of the funds of Road District No. 1, Supervisor District No. 1, upon the presentation of duly verified claims therefor.

Said culvert to be constructed in accordance with plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the County Clerk and Clerk of said Board, to which bidders are hereby referred.

That the Board of Supervisors of said County reserves the right to reject any and all bids as the public good may be required.

The contract to be let to the lowest and best bidder.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County.

Dated, October 18th, 1909.

J. H. WELLS, (SEAL) Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County.

First publication, Oct. 23, 1909.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE August Anderson, (also sometimes called Gus Anderson), Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of August Anderson, (also sometimes called Gus Anderson), deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at the law office of A. B. McKenzie, 1010 Main Street, Martinez, Cal., the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated October 3, 1909.

MARTIN W. JOOST, Administrator of the estate of August Anderson, (also sometimes called Gus Anderson), Deceased.

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A section of the fleet of schooners which came here from New York and New England after bluefish struck great luck one night recently about three miles off Cape Henry, a Norfolk (Va.) dispatch to the New York Herald says. They ran into a vast school of striped sea trout which were entering Chesapeake Bay and with purse nets took thousands of them.

Louis Forester, a dealer and expert, places the catch brought here at about 2,000 barrels of 200 pounds each. The schooner Latonia had 600 barrels, and the Bertha and Pearl and the Libbie each 200 barrels. The fish weighed from four to eight pounds each. Hundreds of barrels of them packed in ice were sent box express to New York, Baltimore and other markets north and west of Norfolk.

The Bertha and Pearl would have taken many more of the fish which were swimming near the surface, had not an able fisherman, Gus Delaney, fallen from the seine boat into the seine and caused his comrades to lose the school while they were hauling him. When the net was hauled and Delaney landed aboard he was nearly all in, but is recovering.

Swallowed a Reindeer.
"Doctor, Doctor!" I've swallowed a reindeer!"
Choking violently and literally black in the face, a negro rushed into the office of a throat specialist. His small, woolly head jerked frantically and his eyes rolled in anguish. It was very evident that some irritating substance had lodged in his throat.

The specialist summoned his assistant.
Dr. Blank here is a young man who says he has swallowed a reindeer."

"Nawsh!" spluttered the patient. "It weren't a whole reindeer, it were less his nake and his horns."

The physician removed the offending object.
With a long sigh of relief, the pink animus opened his eyes. His glance rested on the instrument table.

"Yassur, dat's de reindeer!"
It was an Elk's button.

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A Hard and Fast Party Man.
Some women want the suffrage and some do not. Some, moreover, whether they want it or not, do not need it. Of the latter class was the woman of whom a writer in the Universalist Leader tells.

A matron of the most determined character was encountered by a young woman reporter on a country paper, who was sent out to interview leading citizens as to their politics. May I see Mr. —?" she asked of a stern looking woman who opened the door at one house.

"No, you can't," answered the matron, decisively.

But I want to know what party he belongs to?" pleaded the girl.

"The woman stirred up her tall figure. Will take a good look at me," she said. "In the party he belongs to."

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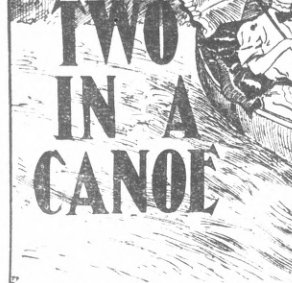
And so they never see beside them grow Children, whose coming is like breath of flowers; Consoled by subtler loves the angels know Through childless hours.

Good deeds they do, they comfort and they bless In duties others put off till the morrow; Their look is calm, their touch is tenderness To all in sorrow.

Betimes the world smiles at them, as it were shame. This maiden guileless, long after youth's departed; But in God's book they bear another name— "The faithful hearted."

Faithful in life, and faithful unto death. Such souls, in sooth, illumine with lustre splendid That glimpsed, glad land wherein the vision saith, Earth's wrongs are ended.

—Richard Burton, in the Century.



TWO IN A CANOE

"Hullo!" said the girl, pausing abruptly on the edge of the lawn. "Where's Margaret?"

"Margaret," answered the young man, rising, "has gone out with her mother."

"Oh!" said the girl, "but she said yesterday she'd be at home."

"And you believed her?" "It's none was politely curious.

"Of course, why shouldn't I have?" "Oh, well, no reason, only I'm sure I've read it somewhere, don't you girls have instinct or something?"

"You're thinking of dogs," she explained. "Isn't anybody at home?"

"Couldn't you ask 'em yourself?" he suggested gently.

"Except yourself," she said obediently.

"Thank you. There's no sense in wastefully wounding a person's feelings, is there? No, everybody's out. I may as well warn you that your cries will be useless."

"Thanks for telling me. Will tears be of any avail?"

"Absolutely no good," he declared. "Is it permissible to ask what you are going to do with me?"

"It's not allowed by the rules," was the answer, "but I don't mind telling you. I'm going to take you out in a canoe."

"Horror!" cried the girl, clasping her hands together.

"And talk to you," he continued firmly.

"But that's torture," she protested. "Are you sure that's allowed?"

"Positive. In fact, it's compulsory. "By the way," he inquired, as he helped her to embark, "do you know why I'm taking you out in the canoe?"

"I haven't the most exciting idea. Why are you?"

"Well, I'll tell you before I get in. In case you upset the boat. I'm going to propose to you."

"Have you been lunching much, today?"

The young man repelled the insinuation with a wave of his hand. "You needn't get excited yet, awake," he mentioned, as he took his seat in the boat. "I shan't do it suddenly. I shall work up to it gradually."

"You know the rudiments," she commented approvingly. "Who put you up to the canoe, though?"

"My forgotten hat came now. She was one of the first girls I ever proposed to. Since then I always do my proposing in canoes."

looked at his dripping figure, her eyes sparkling.

"I said it would be an interesting afternoon," she reminded him triumphantly.

"I wish you wouldn't stare at me like that," she protested, flushing slightly. "I know I'm very wet."

"Your hair does curl naturally, after all," he said, with a pleased smile. "I always said it did."

"They make them to stand water nowadays," explained the girl. "I should have thought you'd known that. Aren't you going in again to get the boat?"

"No, I'm going to walk home. How do you fix them on?—with a hairbrush?" "What? Oh, those curls. Yes."

"Won't you give me one?" As a souvenir, you know."

"We shall get our deaths of cold if we stand here," said the girl.

"But my curl!"

"I've some new ones coming. I'll give you one of those," she promised. "Come along."

She avoided his eye and tapped the ground nervously with her foot.

"They don't come off, really," she whispered. "Let go my hand."

The young man seized her other hand before he replied.

"You silly, it's not a curl I want."

"I didn't propose to you in the boat, after all," said the young man, as they went down to look at the canoe.

"No," said the girl.

She looked at him for a moment, and then began to laugh softly.

The young man looked at her doubtfully.

"That was really very funny of me," he said approvingly. "But—er—do you mind telling me the joke in your own words?"

The girl, with an effort, looked at him in wide-eyed gravity.

"It's not a joke," she said. "It's very serious for me."

"Shall we sit in the shade," suggested the young man in tired accents, "until you think I'm strong enough to bear it?"

"Why," said the girl, "you haven't asked me to marry you at all yet."

The young man passed his hand wearily across his forehead. "It's the heat," he murmured. "Thanks for reminding me. Will you?"

"Yes," said the girl—Griff.

DEATHS FROM ANESTHETICS.

They Are Small in Proportion to Cases, but Caution Is Necessary.

The melancholy death under an anesthetic of the lion T. A. Powys, the young heir and only son of Lord Lifford, in the course of an operation not generally associated with any idea of danger, is an event which will direct public attention to the dangers attending upon the use of anesthetics in general and upon the precautions necessary in order to reduce these dangers to a minimum.

From the report of the inquest upon Mr. Powys, the London Times says, it appears that he was suffering from the enlargements at the back of the throat which are commonly known as the adenoid enlargements, which are not attended by any immediate danger to life.

A professional anesthetist was employed to conduct the administration and he began his proceedings by a complete examination of the patient, in which condition he discovered nothing to call for more than ordinary caution. The anesthetic used was a mixture of chloroform with ether, and it was not until the operation was nearly completed that a sudden failure of respiration gave warning of imminent danger.

A post-mortem examination disclosed the existence of a condition to which attention has recently been called by other cases of like kind, a condition called strychnine poisoning, which appears to be discoverable during life and which involves special danger in the use of anesthetics.

The occasional occurrence of fatal consequences from the administration of chloroform or of ether, however much to be deplored in the individual instances, should not be permitted to divert attention from the enormous number of cases in which these agents are administered without ill effects.

Any kind of or from the enormous number in which they save life by permitting the performance of operations which it would be impossible to accomplish without their aid.

It may be safely said that, in round numbers, there are 3,000 successful administrations of anesthetics for every death attributable to them, and it is only the immense number of operations which they have rendered possible and successful that explains the comparatively very small number of fatal accidents which have occurred in a given hospital or in a given time.

Notwithstanding the vast preponderance of safety, it is impossible to deny the existence of a certain, or rather of an uncertain amount of real danger, and hence there is a very general feeling that the powerful drugs concerned have been employed in the past with somewhat greater freedom than is entirely justifiable.

Before and After.

She was a frivolous, fashionable young woman with beaux galore, but one man with only a small income seemed to be the favorite.

"You'll have to work hard before you win that girl," said his mother.

"And a good deal harder after you win her," answered his father, who knew what he was talking about.

Tit-Bits.

Playing Broke.

"Is he good in emotional roles?" "You ought to see him beg his wife for a dollar."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

An Important Point.

Most of the enemies we make wholly overlook the fact that they assisted in the making.

A rabbit's hide isn't worth two cents on the market but it's worth more than a million dollars to the rabbit.

When a woman acquires a job lot of trinkets she begins to speak of her jewels.

A "good fellow" is usually a man with a lot of bad habits.

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Watching my favorite bar-keep the other day I noticed that the whiskey he served particular customers was invariably Old Gilt Edge, either rye or bourbon. Asked why, he said "There's no use stirring them anything else, and he knew."

Flowers Without Foliage.
One of the most extraordinary flowers in cultivation is Hall's amaryllis, which reverses the order of nature by blooming in midsummer without any foliage. Ordinary bulbs bloom in spring and rest in summer, but Hall's amaryllis suddenly appears out of the bare ground during the dry season.

This extraordinary plant has fragrant, rosy lilac flowers which are banded with yellow. In the spring the leaves make their growth, die down, and after a long interval of rest the flower stalks appear with the strange effect here described.—Garden Magazine.

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SHORT MEN TAKE COURAGE.

Chances of Genius Increase with Brevity of Inches.

If you are a man and happen to be short of stature, do not let that trouble you. Your chances of genius increase with your brevity in inches.

At least, this seems to be the conclusion pointed at by inquiries recently made into the stature of eminent men in Great Britain. Take the most distinguished men range in height about five and a half feet. Lloyd George, the spirited Welshman, who is Chancellor of the Exchequer, is five feet seven. If his inches were equal to his ability he would be a giant. John Burns, the John Bullish representative of labor, who has risen from the position of an engineer earning some \$3 a week to be president of the Board of Trade, is of the same height. A like number of inches measures John Morley, a man alike eminent as legislator and administrator. When the "Grand Old Man" was in the flesh he looked upon Mr. Morley as his right-hand man; the House of Commons calls him "Honest" John and India confesses him an enlightened ruler.

Mr. Asquith has an inch more to his credit, which is providential, perhaps, seeing that he is the essential butt of the suffragettes. Mr. Chamberlain is slightly and only measures a fraction over five and a half feet. Among actors one of the most eminent of Englishmen is John Hare, and he is only five feet four. Barrie, the genial, the quixotic, the fantastic, is five feet five, and, as he is a lover of cricket, a capricious once drew him peeping over the blade of a bat to see if the swift bowler, Richardson, was going to deliver a fast one. Kipling is small—five feet and a half in his height; Hardy and Hall Caine have an inch the better of him. So it is with the artists. Abbey, Alma Tadema and Pointer are all small men. Of the scientists, Sir William Crookes only registers five feet seven, and of the men of business Carnegie is a veritable mite, being but five feet three. Even Lord Roberts, with his five feet six and Viscount Wolsley with but one inch more. So if the reader happens to be short, he is short in good company.

Kissed Him for His Mother.

At a small village in the mountain region of Tennessee, where a company of Federal soldiers were quartered, a report was started one day that a Confederate prisoner at the quarters had been killed. The report soon spread, and, reaching the mountain section, down came one of the belles of that region, who said she wanted to kiss the dead Confederate for his mother. She applied at the headquarters for permission to see the dead soldier, expressing her desire by way of showing her love for the Southern cause. The officer of the day concluded to play a joke on Lieutenant L., he being in one of the back rooms of the house used for a headquarters, taking a nap. As there was no Confederate dead the officer did not like to see the mountain belle disappointed; so he told her the Confederate corpse was in the back room, showing her the way. When the door was opened there lay the lieutenant on his back asleep on a cot. The ardent Southern lady rushed up to him, threw her arms around his prostrate form, and exclaimed, "Oh, let me kiss him for his mother!" at the same time pressing her lips to his brow.

This rather novel procedure awakened the lieutenant and he took in the situation at a glance, clasped the mountain daisy in his arms, and, returning the salute, exclaimed:

"Never mind the old lady. Go it on your own hook, gal. I'm willing."

Before the little Southern lady could extricate herself from the lieutenant's embrace she was not only kissed for her mother but for the whole family.

Why Railroads Are Narrow Gauge.

Why are all railroads built on the standard gauge of four feet eight and one-half inches? The makers of the first locomotives thought only of putting their machines upon the tram ways already in existence, and from that followed a very interesting and curious result. These tram lines had been exactly the width prescribed by the strength of one horse. By mere inertia the horse cart gauge established itself in the world, and everywhere the train is dwarfed to a scale that limits alike its comfort, power and speed. Because there is so much capital engaged and because of the dead weight of custom it is doubtful if there will ever be any change in this gauge. Still, it might be worse.

If the biggest horses had been Shet land ponies our railway carriages now would only be wide enough to hold two persons side by side and would have a maximum speed of twenty miles an hour. There is hardly a horse aside from this antiquated reason why the railway coach should not be nine or ten feet wide—that is, the width of the smallest room in which people can live in comfort and furnish with all the equipment of comfortable chambers—Atlantic.

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